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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk / Executive Director
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100
Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Application of Blue Granite Water Company for Approval to Adjust Its
Rate Schedules and Increase Rates
Docket No. 2019-290-WS

Dear Ms. Boyd:

During the Oral Arguments today, Commissioner Whitfield requested that Blue Granite Water Company (the "Company") provide the calculation by which the Company arrived at the amount of \$5,970 per day referenced in its Conditional Petition for Approval of Accounting Order filed on August 24, 2020. The \$5,970 per day is derived from the \$5,416,736 annual revenue requirement authorized by the Commission subtracted from the Company's \$7,595,947 annual revenue requirement secured by the bond, divided by 365 days per year ($(\$7,595,947 - \$5,416,736) / 365 = \$5,970.44$). As explained in the Conditional Petition, added to this amount would be the cost of providing additional notice to customers and carrying costs on the deferred amounts until recovered from customers.

Yours truly,

Frank R. Ellerbe, III

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cc: Parties of Record (via email)
Donald H. Denton, President (via email)
Dante Destefano, Financial Planning & Analysis Manager (via email)

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA
Docket No. 2019-290-WS

IN RE:)
Application of Blue Granite Water) CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
Company for Approval to Adjust Rate)
Schedules and Increase Rates)
_____)

This is to certify that I, Toni C. Hawkins, a paralegal with the law firm of Robinson Gray Stepp & Laffitte, LLC have this day served a copy of the **Letter responding to Commissioner Whitfield’s request during Oral Arguments** in the referenced matter to the parties listed below by electronic mail:

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